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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/711,169
Applicant : James M. Clark
Filed : November 13, 2000
TC/A.U. : 2134
Examiner : SIMITOSKI, Michael J.
Confirmation No. : 6625
Docket No. : 0918.0037C
Customer No. : 27896
Title : Method and Apparatus for Generating
Random Permutations

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Commissioner for Patents
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TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE

Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed May 7, 2004, for the above-identified application:

- ☒ Amendment/Response (16 pages)
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time (2 pages)
- ☐ Request for Approval of Drawing Changes
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ Associate Power
- ☐ Revocation and New Power
- ☐ Change of Address
- ☐ Return receipt postcard
- ☒ Check No. 8000 in the amount of \$72.00 for the total fee as calculated below
- ☒ Other: Check No. 7982 in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the one-month extension of time fee

The fee has been calculated as follows:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	44	- 40 =	4	x \$18.00	\$72.00
Independent Claims	2	- 3 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$290.00					
Total Amendment Fee					
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims Small Entity Status (subtract 50% of Total Application Fee)					
Other fees: (specify)					
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$72.00

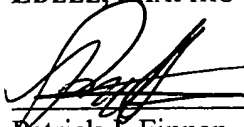
- ☒ A check for the total fee is attached.
- ☐ Please charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 05-0460 for the total fee. This paper is being submitted in duplicate.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

Dated: September 7, 2004

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